# Idaho Occupational Projections for 2014

~ Hot Jobs Statewide ~

Idaho's Hot Jobs are the jobs that on average rank high in three major criteria — the abundance of jobs in the economy, jobs which are growing the fastest and jobs with the highest pay. The Hot Jobs are then disaggregated by education and training level.



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the average rank of the three criteria with the hottest jobs listed at the top.  Occupational Title	Projected 2014 Employment	Average Annual Job Openings*	2005-06 Median Hourly Wage	Required Education of Training Level
Chief Executives	7,156	250	\$36.12	B+
General & Operations Managers	16,307	619	\$24.36	B+
Registered Nurses	13,815	593	\$23.57	Α
Lawyers	3,293	101	\$34.43	1-PD
Construction Managers	4,262	110	\$28.65	В
Financial Managers	3660	122	\$26.94	B+
Secondary School Teachers, Except Special & Voc Education	10,400	383	\$43,018	В
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	11,241	368	\$42,548	В
Computer Software Engineers, Applications	2,448	107	\$32.87	В
Electrical Engineers	2,188	76	NA	В
Pharmacists	1,657	80	\$40.97	1-PD
Business Operations Specialists, All Other	5,235	202	\$20.85	В
Electricians	4,275	167	\$21.69	LT
Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software	1,755	79	\$35.80	В
Accountants & Auditors	4,951	198	\$19.95	В
Sales Managers	2,464	93	\$25.05	B+
Medical & Health Service Managers Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Manufacturing, Except	1,830	69	\$29.50	B+
Technical & Scientific Products	6,419	278	\$18.15	MT
Computer Systems Analysts	1,821	61	\$28.71	В
Engineering Managers	1,446	51	\$44.14	B+
First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Office & Admin Support Workers	7,368	262	\$17.16	WE
Industrial Engineers	1,383	65	\$32.09	В
First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Mechanics, Installers & Repairers First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Construction Trades &	2,659	107	\$21.27	WE
Extraction Workers	4,554	147	\$18.78	WE
Computer & Information Systems Managers Telecommunications Equipment Installers & Repairers,	1,379	56	\$32.72	B+
Except Line Installers	1,817	84	\$23.65	LT
Dental Hygienists	1,404	55	\$31.48	Α
Marketing Managers	1,363	48	\$35.92	B+
Loan Officers	2,187	69	\$23.37	В
Police & Sheriff's Patrol Officers	3,787	161	\$18.05	LT
Farm, Ranch & Other Agricultural Managers	4,139	168	\$17.76	B+
Civil Engineers	1,530	55	\$27.40	В
First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Production & Operating Workers	3,723	125	\$18.63	WE
Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics	5,400	216	\$16.28	PVA
Plumbers, Pipefitters & Steamfitters	2,990	125	\$17.98	LT
Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	3,134	142	\$17.54	ST
Electrical & Electronic Engineering Technicians	1,742	72	\$21.51	Α
Management Analysts Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Manufacturing,	1,610	45	\$24.61	B+
Technical & Scientific Products	1,825	76	\$20.36	MT
Administrative Services Managers	2,053	79	\$19.69	B+
Truck Drivers, Heavy & Tractor-Trailer	14,980	505	\$13.82	MT
Education Administrators, Elementary & Secondary School	1,140	38	\$67,758	B+
Executive Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	9,722	339	\$14.26	MT
Postal Service Mail Carriers	1573	67	\$21.50	ST
First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Non-Retail Sales Workers	1,959	48	\$21.77	WE
First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Retail Sales Workers	9,564	248	\$14.24	WE
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	3,803	135	\$15.91	PVA
Computer Support Specialists	2,557	84	\$17.64	Α
Carpenters	9,451	307	\$13.77	LT
Computer Programmers	1,245	40	\$24.49	В
Median Annual Wage  *Average annual job openings include new jobs plus replacement jobs.				

<sup>\*</sup>Average annual job openings include new jobs plus replacement jobs.

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<sup>\*\*</sup>Education/Training Key: 1-PD—first professional degree; A—associate degree; B—bachelor's degree; B+—bachelor's or higher degree plus work experience; LT—long-term on-the-job training; MT—moderate-term on-the-job training; ST— short-term, on-the-job training; PVA—postsecondary vocational award; WE—work experience in related occupation.

## **Top 15 Jobs — Short Preparation**

These occupations require short-term on-the-job training.

Occupational Title	Projected 2014 Employment	Average Annual Job Openings*	2005-06 Median Hourly Wage
Landscaping & Groundskeeping Workers	7,527	272	NA
Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	3,134	142	\$17.54
Postal Service Mail Carriers	1,573	67	\$21.50
Door-to-Door Sales Workers, News & Street Vendors & Related Workers	1,481	39	\$22.52
Truck Drivers, Light or Delivery Services	6,644	202	\$11.86
Office Clerks, General	13,208	434	\$10.52
Retail Salespersons	25,110	1332	\$9.31
Lifeguards, Ski Patrol & Other Recreational Protective Services	391	30	NA
Bill & Account Collectors	2,811	110	\$12.17
Industrial Truck & Tractor Operators	4,105	138	\$11.30
Janitors & Cleaners, except Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	13,082	469	\$9.23
Laborers & Freight, Stock & Material Movers, Hand	11,612	526	\$9.19
Receptionists & Information Clerks	6,393	280	\$9.81
Stock Clerks & Order Fillers	5,777	250	\$9.65
Cashiers	17,562	995	\$7.58



Short preparation includes short-term on-the-job training.



#### **Top 15 Jobs — Little Preparation**

These occupations require moderate-term on-the-job training.

Occupational Title	Projected 2014 Employment	Average Annual Job Openings*	2005-06 Median Hourly Wage
Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Manufacturing, except Technical & Scientific Products	6,419	278	\$18.15
Cementing & Gluing Machine Operators & Tenders Sales Representatives for Wholesale & Manufacturing, Technical & Scientific Products	1,066	59 76	NA #20.24
Truck Drivers, Heavy & Tractor-Trailer	1,825 14,980	76 505	\$20.36 \$13.82
Executive Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	9,722	339	\$14.26
Slaughterers & Meat Packers	961	35	NA
Operating Engineers & Other Construction Equipment Operators	3,097	137	\$15.89
Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	7,841	294	\$13.66
Bookkeeping, Accounting & Auditing Clerks	11,609	354	\$12.40
Sales Representatives for Services, All Other	2,664	121	\$14.76
Customer Service Representatives	12,989	531	\$10.92
Construction Laborers	8,942	280	\$11.47
Highway Maintenance Workers	1,834	70	\$15.11
Dental Assistants	2,595	135	\$12.42
Advertising Sales Agents	1,127	38	\$17.79

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### **Top 15 Jobs — Medium Preparation**

These occupations require one or more of the following: an associate degree, postsecondary vocational award, work experience in a related occupation and long-term, on-the-job training.

Occupational Title	Projected 2014 Employment	Average Annual Job Openings*	2005-06 Median Hourly Wage
Registered Nurses	13,815	593	\$23.57
Semiconductor Processors	2,816	71	NA
Managers, all other	4,911	96	\$27.74
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	2,519	69	NA
Electricians	4,275	167	\$21.69
First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Office & Admin Support Workers	7,368	262	\$17.16
First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Mechanics, Installers, & Repairers	2,659	107	\$21.27
First-Line Supervs/Mgrs of Construction Trades & Extraction Workers Telecommunications Equipment Installers & Repairers, Except Line	4,554	147	\$18.78
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Electrical & Electronic Engineering Technicians	1,742	72	\$21.51



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Middle preparation includes associate degree, postsecondary vocational award, work experience in a related occupation and long-term on-the-job training.



# **Top 15 jobs — Long Preparation**

These occupations require one of the following; first professional degree, doctoral degree, master's degree, bachelor's degree or higher.

Work experience plus bachelor's degree is also eligible.

	Projected	Annual	Median
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Physicians & Surgeons	1,848	59	NA
Sales Managers	2,464	93	\$25.05
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#### Median Annual Wage

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